

SOLVING MYSTERIES

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What is the mystery to solve? (example: Who stole the necklace?)	
Who are the main characters?	
Who are the suspects? Why do you consider them suspects? <i>Suspects are people who appear to have a motive to have committed a crime.</i>	
What is the evidence? Why do you consider this evidence? <i>Evidence is something that proves who committed the crime.</i>	
What alibi(s) are offered? <i>An alibi is a plea offered by an accused person of not having been at the scene of the crime.</i>	

<p>What are the main clues?</p> <p><i>A clue is something that appears to give information toward solving the crime.</i></p>	
<p>Who are the witnesses?</p> <p><i>A witness is a person who has personal knowledge about the crime.</i></p>	
<p>What deduction can be made?</p> <p><i>Making a deduction involves collecting the facts and drawing a possible conclusion.</i></p>	
<p>What was the main clue needed to solve the mystery?</p>	
<p>Was there a red herring? If so, describe.</p> <p><i>A red herring is a false lead that throws the investigator off track.</i></p>	
<p>What is the solution to the mystery?</p>	
<p>Rank the suspense rating of this mystery.</p>	